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## BASE BALL

### GOULD 13—MEXICO 8

Gould Academy collected but six bingles off the delivery of McGray, Mexico's hurler, Saturday, but by good base running, seven bases on balls and seven errors made by the Pinto fielders they turned in a 13-8 victory. Gill, Gould pitcher, hurled well with the exception of the seventh inning, when the Mexico players found him for several long hits.

The box score:

Gould	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Wheeler, ss.	5	1	2	1	3	1
Adams, lf.	3	2	0	0	0	1
Hamlin, lb.	5	2	1	1	0	2
Race, 2b.	5	2	0	4	3	1
Holmes, 3b.	2	3	1	1	0	0
Gregory, c.	3	1	0	0	1	1
Barlow, rf.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Anthon, p.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Gill, p.	1	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>

MEXICO  
 ab. r. h. po. a. e.  
 McLaflerty, ss. 3 2 2 2 3 0  
 Key, cf. 4 1 0 0 0  
 Swift, rf. 4 1 1 1 0  
 Botkos, 2b. 4 0 1 3 0  
 McGray, p. 4 1 1 0 3  
 Gaudette, lb. 4 1 0 11 0  
 Jamison, lf. 4 0 1 1 0  
 Rice, 3b. 4 0 1 1 3  
 O'Leary, c. 4 1 0 8 3  
**Totals** 32 8 7 27 12 7

Two base hits, Jamison, Hamlin, Three base hit, Botkos. Sacrifice hits, Holms, Barlow. Double play, Race to Hamlin. Runs on balls off Gill 2, McGray 7. Hit by pitcher by McGray (Gregory.) Struck out by Gill 8, McGray 7. Umpire, Johnson. Time 2:15.

Saturday, May 28, the Gould track team goes to Mexico to compete in the Oxford County track meet.

Next Wednesday the Gould baseball team goes to Norway to play Norway H. S.

Jay Willard, second baseman and one of the leading hitters of the team, is confined to his home in Bryant's Pond with the measles. The line-up was somewhat weakened by his absence in the Mexico game last Wednesday, but it is expected that he will be with the team for the Rumford game.

## SENIORS VICTORIOUS IN INTER-CLASS TRACK MEET

The Senior track team which was run off in portions each afternoon last week. As the Juniors won the indoor meet last winter the Seniors entered this meet with determination to stage a come back, which they plainly did.

The high point winners were Harry Parsons '27 with 15, scoring two firsts, a tie for first, one second and one third, and Clarence Race '27 with 16, scoring three firsts and one third. Burham was the Juniors' high scorer, Willard and Hancock the Sophomores', and Johnson the Freshmen's.

In the relay race the Freshmen defeated the Sophomores and the Seniors defeated the Juniors in two close races, but in the finals the Seniors had things all their own way and left the Freshmen far in the rear.

The summary:

I. 100 yd. Dash. (1) Hamlin '27, (2) Barlow '27, (3) Holmes '24.  
 II. 220 yd. Dash. (1) Bryant '28, (2) Hamlin '27, (3) Barlow '27.  
 III. Mile Run. (1) H. Parsons '27, (2) E. Hancock '26, (3) Johnson '26.  
 IV. Breast Jump. (1) Race '27, (2) Holmes '26, (3) H. Wheeler '26.  
 V. Hammer Throw. (1) Race '27, (2) Marshall '24, (3) Fox '24.  
 VI. 440 yd. Dash. (1) Hamlin '27, (2) Barlow '27, (3) Holmes '26.  
 VII. 880 yd. run. (1) Parsons '27, (2) Johnson '26, (3) Hancock '26.  
 VIII. Discus. (1) Burham '28, (2) Parsons '27, (3) Race '27.  
 IX. Pole Vault. (1) Barlow and Parsons '27, (2) Austin '27.  
 X. High Jump. Austin '27, (2) Willard '26, (3) Gregory '26.  
 XI. Relay. (1) Seniors, (2) Freshmen.  
 XII. Shot Put. (1) Race '27, Burham '28, (3) Parsons '27.

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Handicap	100 yd. Dash.	Shot Put.	High Jump.	Mile.	Hammer.	220 yd. Dash.	440 yd. Dash.	880 yd. Run.	Pole Vault.	Discus.
1	5	10	15	8	7	0	0	0	0	0
2	3	6	3	0	4	5	1	2	1	3
3	4	5	4	5	4	5	1	2	4	5

## THE J. E. JONES LETTER

### DOCTORS AND LIQUOR

The American Medical Association at the Washington Convention gave considerable attention to the Federal law which limits the amount of whiskey a physician may prescribe for a patient. Many of the physicians expressed their resentment of the provisions of the existing law which recognize legislators as better judges than physicians as to the amount of liquor that should be given to a patient. One critic of the law drew an interesting comparison. He said it was as absurd to limit doctors as it would be to limit architects on the question of supports for a building, or automobile designers as to the number of cylinders they should put in a motor.

The President of the Association, Dr. Wendell C. Phillips, described the law as an "insult" to the medical profession, and he and other reputable physicians resided the implication that the medical profession was seeking to profit by bootlegging. In this view Dr. Phillips claimed he supported the integrity of his profession.

What he said demanded approval; but the doctors themselves know that there are many bootleggers who hide themselves under the cloak of diplomas and certificates. The law does not prevent physicians from using whiskey as a medicine. It does provide a way by which physicians can legally obtain a limited supply of whiskey. The difficulty all comes from the fact that the method employed under the law to curtail the activities of the disreputable few is "constrained by doctors to raise against men of acknowledged skill and character the presumption that they will indulge in illicit liquor traffic unless they are actually prevented from obtaining unusual supplies of liquor for the sick. As practical citizens the Association members are seeking to have the law amended in a way that will safeguard it as a prohibition measure and at the same time be acceptable to the reputable physicians of the country. It seems to be only another case where the "rough spots" need to be ironed out.

### HOME PRODUCTS

The President has received a request from Congressman Connolly of Pennsylvania, to issue an Executive order to all Departments of the Government to indicate a preference for domestic goods when they ask for bids for Government supplies. As a general rule of law the heads of the Executive Departments and Bureaus are obliged to accept the lowest bids, and Representative Connolly has raised a point that is fundamental to conditions of trade. In the long run, it is pointed out, it pays to patronize those who help pay taxes, and help to maintain American traditions.

Exactly the same principle applies with regard to "buying goods at home," and the duty and common sense of patronizing local merchants.

A little agitation of this question from the top, as it applies to Government purchases, may prove helpful to the country and possibly check the mad rush to the mail order houses and dealers in the large centers of draw-away business that belongs to the local merchants. Buying at home is one of the keys to collective prosperity.

### THE WAR DEBTS

Controversy about war debts with England and other parts of Europe have subsided. The European are permitted to pay their debts in goods.

### GOULD TRACK TEAM TO MEXICO SATURDAY

The Gould track team, 15 strong, and Mgr. Saunders will leave Saturday morning at 11:30 for Mexico to enter the Oxford County track meet. The boys who will make the trip and the events they are entered in are as follows:

100 yd. Dash. — J. Hamlin, Bryant, Holmes.  
 220 yd. Dash. — Holmes, Barlow, Willard.  
 440 yd. Run. — H. Wheeler, E. Johnson, Chaplin.  
 Mile Run. — H. Parsons, Hancock, Fox, Hammer Throw — Race, Burham, Marshall.  
 Discus. — H. Parsons, Burham, Holmes.  
 220 yd. Dash. — Capt. Hamlin, Barlow, Bryant.  
 Shot Put. — Race, Holmes, Burham or Marshall.  
 Breast Jump — Race, Wheeler, Holmes.  
 Pole Vault — H. Parsons, Barlow, Austin.  
 High Jump — Austin, Race, Willard, Relay — Hamlin, H. Wheeler, Bryant, Wheeler, H. Parsons, Barlow.

## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Emma Chandler is visiting in West Paris.

All stores in town will close Monday, May 28th.

Miss Olive Austin was in Harrison over the week end.

Miss Faye Sanborn of Norway was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rowe were in Portland the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzzell of Fryeburg were at P. J. Tyler's Wednesday.

Mrs. F. E. Donahue is spending a few days with relatives in Portland.

Mrs. Rose Frost of Kingfield was the guest of her sister, Mr. G. N. Sanborn, Monday.

Miss Marjorie M. Farwell spent the week end in Portland the guest of Mrs. Raik Bennett.

The W. R. C. will meet at L. O. O. F. Hall Thursday and Saturday to make wreaths for Memorial.

Mrs. Ida Douglass visited relatives and friends in West Paris and Harrison over the week end.

Fred Holt and family of South Paris were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Holt.

Herbert B. Bean and family have moved from Skillington to the Carle Arms rent on Mechanic Street.

Miss Mary Sanborn recently celebrated her tenth birthday by entertaining a few of her little friends.

Frank Fenton and Betty Woodrow of Boston were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Donahue.

Robert M. Blake of East Boothbay, Maine, was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Coburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Kimball, East Bethel.

E. N. Robertson is building an addition to the Robertson Service Station on Railroad Street which will be used as a lunch room.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Haldane returned Sunday from their wedding trip of two weeks spent in eastern Maine and Massachusetts.

Glyndon Sawin, who has employment in a drug store at Burlington, Vt., was a recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sawin.

Mrs. S. E. Peterson of South Portland was in town over the week end, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hugh D. Thoms, and mother, Mrs. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Lovejoy, Mrs. Emma Chandler, Mrs. Martha Kendall and Mrs. Charles Davis attended the W. C. T. U. at Rumford last week.

Miss Grace Carter and Miss Catherine Stetson of North Hampton, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tibbets were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Lyon.

Eugene Stevens of Norway is the State Highway Policeman between Bethel and Rumford. He is boarding at the home of R. M. Knecht on Spring Street.

Quite a large crowd attended the drama given at West Bethel, Monday night by North Waterford talent. The name of the play was "A Couple of Millions."

In one last issue we stated that Road Com. Bert Brown had charge of the laying of the cement across Main Street. This work is being done under the direction of the Selectmen, A. B. Brown in charge.

Rev. Charles Easternhouse returned from a trip to Girard, Pa. Saturday, and has accepted a call to the Universalist Church of that place. On his return trip he visited in New York City and spoke at the Community Church.

You can buy groceries, confectionery, ice cream and also get a lunch at the M. K. Reckler store on Church Street. This was formerly the W. A. Bragg store. Extensive repairs have been made and an attractive store is the result.

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## CENTRAL DISTRICT S. S. CONVENTION

The Central District Sunday School Convention was held at the Methodist Church, Bethel, Tuesday, May 24th, with a registration of 51.

The session opened in the morning and was devoted to business.

One of the outstanding features of this convention was a stirring address in the afternoon by Rev. F. W. French of Portland, Secretary of the Maine Council Religious Education.

Ministers and officers present were Rev. W. B. Patterson of Bethel, Rev. Charles Easternhouse of Bethel, Rev. E. B. Tolley and wife of South Paris, Rev. A. W. Young of Bryant Pond, Rev. Mr. Allen and wife of Norway, Rev. Ordell Bryant and wife of South Paris, Harold Perham, Supt. Sunday School, Universalist Church, West Paris, Mrs. Harriet Brown of Norway.

Harold Perham of West Paris was elected District President for next year.

Mrs. Harriet Brown of Norway was re-elected Secretary and Treasurer.

Rev. Charles Easternhouse, pastor of the Universalist Church, Bethel, was elected as chairman.

## SCHOOL NOTES

### GRADE VIII

In the contest last week between the boys and girls in arithmetic, spelling and reading, the girls won by a large margin.

A Flower Contest is now on between the boys and girls. At present the boys are in the lead. Laurence Bartlett and Arthur Tibbets are close competitors as there is a prize to the boy and girl bringing the most flowers.

### GRADES V AND VI

Grades V and VI are on the honor roll, as they maintained the best order in their lines of marching the past week. All lines were splendid but the seventh and eighth grades are pleased to see the honor go to these grades.

A large number attended the entertainment given by the primary pupils at the William Bingham Gymnasium last Thursday evening. The program consisted of an opening recitation by Royden Kelly, and the presentation of three plays, Mother Goose's Garden, Practisation of the Titled of Time, and Helen's Dream. Pupils from the four grades participated in these plays which were exceptionally well presented. Mrs. Meredith is due the teachers, Mrs. Ethel Bishop, Miss Eugenie Roby, Miss Dorothy McKee, and Miss Catherine Gale, and the pupils for the excellence of their entertainment. About \$75.00 was realized which will be used to purchase pictures and other decorations for the rooms in the primary building.

The teachers and pupils wish to thank all those who helped to make this entertainment a success.

### MEMORIAL EXERCISES

Sunday, May 29th, Memorial Service by Rev. W. B. Patterson at the Methodist Episcopal Church. The public are very cordially invited to join with the patriotic organizations in attendance at this service.

Monday, May 29th, At 9 A. M. Col. C. S. Edwards Camp No. 72, Sons of Union Veterans will meet at the American Legion rooms to go to East Bethel Church for Memorial Day Exercises by the school children and remarks by Rev. W. B. Patterson.

Monday, May 30th, At 1 o'clock P. M. at Soldiers' Monument. Patriotic Orders and school children will march from their respective hall and school building to the monument. The program: Singing—America, Ancho and School Children.

Prayer.

Music—Mace.

Liberal's Gettysburg Address.

Portland Clerk.

Monday, May 30th, 3 o'clock P. M. Odeon Hall. Program:

Music—Herrick's Orchestra.

Prayer.

Reading of General Logan's First Memorial Day General Order.

Declaration, "The Game Postponed."

Music—Daniel Wright.

Address, Dr. Elias Caplan, of Portland.

Music, The Star Spangled Banner, Address, led by Herrick's Orchestra.

Benediction.

R. L. Greenleaf, Optometrist, of 52 Rogers Street at Portland Monday night, were the following: Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Trundle, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Thompson, Miss Clea Russell.

## SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT

Justice Presiding—Hon. Norman L. Bassett.

Clerk—Donald B. Partridge.

Stenographer—Fred L. Wilson.

County Attorney—William J. Flanagan.

Sheriff—William O. Frothingham.

Deputies—E. J. Roderick, A. J. Reed, W. L. Buck.

Crier—William W. Eastis.

Librarian—James B. Stevenson.

Messenger—Harry Taylor.

In the case of F. A. Richards vs. William Baleskus for repairs to an automobile, Richards was awarded \$62.00.

Mrs. Annie Barzdelis was awarded a verdict of \$168.00 for the death of her husband. Mr. Barzdelis was found injured near his house on Sept. 8, 1926, and died later. The St. Roko Beneficial Society in which he was insured refused to pay the death benefit on the ground that he was intoxicated when injured.

Charles Stauslus was ordered to pay Alton Burgess of Peru the sum of \$160 for assault. Burgess was shot while taking potatoes from Stauslus' garden.

Wednesday the criminal docket was taken up.

Delbert Adkins, who pleaded guilty to two indictments for breaking and entering at Canton, was given a sentence of not less than two or more than four years on each indictment, one sentence to take effect at the expiration of the other.

Laurent J. Couillard of Lewiston was sentenced to thirty days in jail for reckless driving.

Fred Gallagher of Rumford was given two months in jail for breaking and entering.

Tommy Truman of Norway, on a charge of manufacturing liquor, was fined \$100 and given four months in jail. Jail sentence suspended.

A. B. Coffin of Bethel was given a fine of \$500 and three months in jail on a charge of statutory rape.

Arthur Bilodeau of Rumford paid a fine of \$100 for illegal possession, jail sentence of four months suspended.

Harvey Manson of Rumford was given two months in jail and fined \$200 for drunken driving.

Karl Kerecsky and Mrs. Kerecsky of Rumford were sentenced to six months each on a charge of nuisance. Sentence suspended.

Kenneth Bartlett of Norway for manufacturing liquor was fined \$100, jail sentence of four months was suspended.

Albert Plant of Rumford was given four months for assault.

Kenneth Locke of Rumford was committed to the men's reformatory for breaking and entering and breaking jail.

Orrin Wilson of Gilead and George H. Tetreau of Marlboro, Mass., were committed to the men's reformatory for breaking and entering.

Alex Frigo of Rumford was given a fine of \$100 and thirty days in jail.

## COLE—HANSCOM

A very pretty wedding took place at the Union Church, North Newry, Monday evening, May 23rd, at 8:00 o'clock, when Miss Ella Annie Hanscom of Newry and Robert Stanton Cole of 1, at 8 o'clock.

It will consist of a one act play entitled, "Squaring It with the Boss," the pleasing operetta, "Mollotie," and chorus numbers by members of the eighth grade.

## RECEPTION TO NEW PASTOR, REV. W. B. PATTERSON

At the Methodist Church on Monday evening a reception was given the new pastor, Rev. W. B. Patterson, Mrs. Patterson and Miss Elizabeth Patterson. The church was very attractive in its decorations of potted plants, arranged by Elmina Wheeler and Priscilla York under the direction of Mrs. Lyman Wheeler.

The guests were escorted to the receiving line by Evans Wilson and Charles Haselton. Those in the receiving line were Rev. and Mrs. Patterson and daughter Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Lovejoy and Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Lapham. Mrs. H. I. Bean presided at the piano during the reception.

Following the reception a program arranged by Mrs. Lyman Wheeler was



# The DOOM TRAIL

—By—  
Arthur D. Howden Smith

Author of  
PORTO BELLO GOLD, Etc.  
(By Brantano's)  
WNU Service



"Two hundred lives," he said instantly.

"Very well. It shall be paid. You will be detained here for a time, and I will purchase for you a sufficient number of beaver pelts to defray that sum."

And, turning to Ta-wan-ne-ars, I asked him to give the necessary instructions to the Onondagas. The messenger, a look of sour satisfaction on his cunning face, was marched off to undergo the restraint of an unwelcome visitor.

"Well?" I said to Ta-wan-ne-ars. The Seneca returned me the letter. "See," he said, pointing to the wild geese flying in pairs to the south. "The cold weather is coming. Black Robe will be delayed in returning from his visit to the Onondagas. And that is a very good thing for us, brother. But for that I think we would be too late."

"But we shall have fighting," I exclaimed. "The Keepers will soon discover us, and no matter how numerous we may be they will fight desperately. They may carry her away to Canada before we reach La Verge du Bois."

"This is true," he admitted. "And the thought Ta-wan-ne-ars had, brother, was that we might have to do no-ho-ga-weh and Corlaer the breaking of the Doom Trail whilst you and I with a handful of warriors marched around by the way we escaped, as the white moccasins advise in her letter. That way is not guarded, for none has known it, and perhaps we may hide in the Wood of the False Faces and bear off the maiden in the confusion of a surprise attack."

"It sounds reasonable," I said doubtfully. "It is preferable to trusting to the main attack."

"There is no other plan," he rejoined with energy. "Now we must tell what we have learned to Do-no-ho-ga-weh, and arrange our plans with him."

The Guardian of the Western Door was the center of an immense mob of warriors who danced around the war post which had been planted in the council place.

"The grim face of Do-no-ho-ga-weh was alight with the joy of battle. 'Behold, O my son,' he called to me, 'the warriors of the Eight Clans are with us. Our brothers of the Turtle, Beaver, Bear and Wolf, and our younger brothers of the Snake, Heron, Deer and Hawk, all hunger for the scalps of the Keepers of the Trail.'"

"A thousand braves will follow us on the warpath. We will give the French a lesson. They shall see the might of the Long House."

But the light faded from his features as Ta-wan-ne-ars told him of the message from Marjory. A look of cold hatred accentuated the grimace of the hooked nose and old cheekbones.

"The French dog De Vuille is wanted of us here," he roared. "He has had enough of the red maiden. Now he craves the white. Yes, it is well that my red nephew and my white son should go against this man who knows no laws to curb his lust. I charge you, do not spare him."

"We will not spare him," I promised. "Good! It shall be as you ask. For I shall guide me to the Doom Trail. How many warriors are to go with you?"

We debated this point together, and decided that for purposes of swift movement and secrecy we had best re-

strict our escort to twenty men. Do-no-ho-ga-weh approved this number. "Do nothing, if you can help it, until we have begun our attack," he said. "If you must move without us, rely upon flight, for you cannot hope to succeed by fighting."

Our party mustered at dawn the next morning. It consisted of twenty stalwart young Seneca Wolves, each man selected by Ta-wan-ne-ars for strength and wind. In addition to their clothing and weapons each man also carried two lengthy contrivances of wood, with hide strips laid across them.

"What are they for?" I asked as Ta-wan-ne-ars presented me with a pair and showed me how to fasten them on my back so that the narrower ends stuck up over my head.

"Ga-weh-ga-snow-shoes," he replied. "In the wilderness, brother, the snow lies deep, and we should sink down at every step once the ground was covered after the first storm. You must learn how to use the ga-weh-ga, for otherwise you would be helpless."

We kept our purpose a strict secret, even from the warriors of our escort. They were told no more than that they were given an opportunity to go upon a hazardous venture which should yield them time and a proportionate toll of scalps.

That was all they wanted to know. Ta-wan-ne-ars was a leader they had fought under before. I was assigned a wholly undeserved measure of fame because of my recent adventures in his company.

We marched rapidly. For three days we averaged thirty miles a day, and each day, when we camped, I practised with the snow-shoes on some level bit of ground, learning how to walk without catching the points and tripping myself.

We had not gone very far on the fourth day when Do-no-ho-ga-weh, the Onondaga warrior who had attached himself to me, pointed through the leafless trees toward a grayish-white bank which was rolling down upon us from the north.

"On-ga-on-de," he said. "It snows." Fifteen minutes later the snow began to fall. Driven by a piercing wind, it descended like a vast, enveloping blanket, coldly damp, strangling the breath, blinding the eyes, numbing the muscles.

We struggled along against it until we came to a hillside scattered with large boulders. Here we halted and built shelters for ourselves by roofing the boulders with pine saplings we hacked down with our tomahawks. Under these, with furs coming at our feet, we made shift to resist the cold.

The snow fell for a better part of two days, so thickly as to preclude traveling, and during that time we dared not stir from shelter, except to collect firewood. In the evening of the second day the storm passed, and the stars shone out in a sky that was a hard, metallic blue.

"We have lost much time, brothers," said Ta-wan-ne-ars, "and we have had a long rest. Let us push on tonight." Our progress was slowed considerably by my clumsiness on snow-shoes. But the Otter and other warriors went to considerable pains to help me, picking out the easiest courses to follow, quick with hint or advice to remedy my ignorance. I became proficient enough to travel at the tail of the column, although my companions could never march as rapidly as they would have done without me.

The wilderness which was traversed by the Doom Trail was deserted because of the universal Indian fear of the False Faces. Ta-wan-ne-ars and I discussed this point as we neared the forbidden country, and I suggested that he tell his followers our destination.

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## ALL FOR BUSINESS REASONS

(By D. J. Walsh.)

MARTHA COLLETT, besides being the devoted wife of Robert Collett, was the bitter enemy of Mrs. Raymond Clifford. To Mrs. Collett, Mrs. Clifford was the "woman down the street with the long-nosed husband." One of the earliest reasons for this hatred was the knowledge that at one time her husband had been in love with Mrs. Clifford, who was at that time the pretty Loretta Mantell.

Shortly after she had won Robert away from the pretty Loretta, Mrs. Collett paid a visit to her former rival in love. It was there she learned that Robert had taken Loretta to a May day picnic at a nearby town on the same day he had broken an engagement with her for "business reasons."

From that day on the mere mention of an intense hatred and the two women always met on the street in the manner that a person would expect two opposing prize fighters to meet. It is true they looked at each other, but, oh, those looks! As Robert had told his wife, "You look at her like Robespierre probably looked at his executioners."

And then one evening Robert came home with the news that it would be necessary to entertain the Cliffords for a business reason. His wife remembered the "business reasons" incident of two years before, and flatly refused to allow the "woman down the street with the long-nosed husband" to enter her house. Robert pleaded and finally, after several hours of convincing argument, Mrs. Collett agreed to have the meal from a neighborhood restaurant. Robert graciously agreed to this arrangement, and the next day invited the Cliffords to dinner.

All afternoon Mrs. Collett brooded over the affair. Was Robert really inviting the Cliffords, family to their home to be near the hated Loretta? She knew that her husband had had little to do with Mrs. Clifford since their marriage, and she was certain that if he had she would have been aware of it. There was no one that Mrs. Collett watched like Mrs. Clifford. Finally, about an hour before dinner time, she decided that sardines would be good enough meat for the visitors. Perhaps if they were also satisfied with the food another similar invitation would not be accepted.

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day picnic near Wallers' grove two years ago, Mr. Collett? Do you remember how I ate them all?"

Mrs. Collett gasped. She had not told Robert that she knew he had lied to her that afternoon. She was even more astonished when Robert made no effort to conceal the date when he had eaten sardines with Mrs. Clifford. He laughed and told her he remembered. Mrs. Collett remained silent and inwardly hurt.

"And you remember the success of that afternoon?" That was from Mrs. Clifford and seemed to be addressed to all at the table. Mrs. Collett was so indignant inwardly at the question to her husband that she could hardly keep from leaving the table. She remained as she saw her husband nod that he did remember.

Mrs. Clifford noticed that Mrs. Collett was particularly quiet. In order to draw her hostess into the conversation, she asked:

"And hasn't Robert told you about the marvelous thing he did that afternoon?"

Mrs. Collett replied coldly that he had not. She saw her husband smile across the table.

"Why, he talked me into selling all the stock my father had left me in the American Railway company. Robert sold the stock a few days later and cleared a profit for us amounting to over \$40,000."

Mrs. Collett gasped as she suddenly realized her terrible mistake. This woman after all had been the object of a business trip and not a courtship. She became suddenly happy and Robert was much pleased to notice that she suddenly became the life of the dinner table.

Mrs. Clifford continued the story of the afternoon. She leaned close to Mrs. Collett and whispered into her ear, glancing teasingly at Robert:

"And my dear, do you know what he told me? He said that money was to bring about the realization of his fondest dream—his marriage to the dearest little girl in the world—and he meant you."

Mrs. Clifford did not see the tear in Mrs. Collett's eye, as the latter woman made her good-night many hours later. She did not know how "happy" her "friend" really was when she accepted the invitation for a theater party the following evening.

"Oh, I think Mrs. Clifford is wonderful!" Mrs. Collett told her husband after the couple had left.

Robert scratched his head in puzzle. "I always did know that women were funny," he said. "But this beats me."

## Jackson Honored by Friends and Enemies

Andrew Jackson probably won more sobriquets than any other President of the United States. "Old Hickory" is the name by which he was most endearingly known to past generations and it has popularly come down to the present-day hand in hand with his other familiar title, "Hero of the Battle of New Orleans."

One historian says the sobriquet "Old Hickory" was not an instantaneous inspiration, but a growth. First of all, some soldier, struck with Jackson's pedestrian powers, remarked that he was tough. Next it was observed that he was as tough as hickory. Later the adjective was prefixed and the general thenceforth rejoiced in the nickname.

The Indians against whom Jackson fought in 1813 gave him the title "Painted Arrow," a reference to his shining and intrepid sword. As expressive of his penetration and indomitable will, and significant as a warrior of a sword, the Creek Indians called him "Big Knife" and "Sharp Knife." The poetic title, "Military Star of the Southwest," was given him because of his prominence and efficiency in the southern border wars—Kansas City Star.

The minute he demonstrates a friendship for her, I'll make them think they are at the North pole," she murmured to herself, as she brushed herself with the broom. Mrs. Collett cleaned the house for the occasion, as it had never been cleaned before. She had decided that she must show the visitors Robert had a neat and efficient wife.

A few moments before the dinner hour a car drove up in front of the little house. It was Robert's car. In the front seat was Robert and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford.

"The hostess," Mrs. Collett muttered to herself. "He has ridden here in the same seat with her. And in our car, too." But she made a brave effort to compose herself before the visitors entered the parlor.

Mrs. Collett greeted the "woman with the long-nosed husband," and also the innocent "long-nosed husband," with an amiability that pleased Robert. He moved close to his wife and whispered in her ear "for business reasons." Mrs. Collett smiled and nodded. After that she was even more friendly than before.

The conversation recalled old times and explained the long lapse of friendship between the two couples as being the result of too much time given to business. They planned for future parties and picnics and resolved to become better and closer friends.

Inwardly Mrs. Collett resented all this. She had no intention of becoming a close friend of the "woman with the long-nosed husband." Mrs. Clifford, she admitted to herself, really was rather nice after all. She hardly looked at Robert and seemed very happy with her husband. "All just sham," thought Mrs. Collett. "She still loves Robert and I know it."

And then came the time for dinner. Mrs. Collett let her husband arrange the seating and was indignant when she noticed that he placed himself between Mr. and Mrs. Clifford. She raved and fumed within herself, but still managed to keep her anger from verbal expression. She was quiet through the first two courses, however, and attempts by her husband to draw her into the conversation proved futile. He sensed something wrong and did everything in his power to cover up the trouble.

And the maid brought the sardines. Mrs. Collett looked at them with a very sad face. She glanced at her husband as if to say, "You see, old smarty, I've put it over on them after all." Clifford spoke:

"Sardines! Mr. Collett, I'll bet anything you put your wife up to this! Didn't he, Mrs. Collett?" Mrs. Collett was surprised, but remained silent, leaving it to her husband to reply.

"How I have always loved sardines," Mrs. Clifford added. "Do you remember when we had sardines at the May

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## NORTH NEWRY

Fred Wright and family and Catherine Hutchins motored to Andover Sunday P. M.

Mrs. Frank Vail, Jr., who was taken to the hospital a short time ago returned home Sunday, much improved. Chester Chapman was in town Saturday and Sunday.

The Circle Supper at Frances Davis' Saturday night was very well attended. Election of officers followed the supper. Daisy Weston was chosen President; Amy Bennett, Vice-President; Ida Wright, Secretary and Treasurer; Susan Wright, Virginia Morton and Ethel Vail, entertainers; a work committee was also appointed. The next supper will be at the home of Mrs. Fred Kilgore. Mrs. Addie Saunders and son, Addison, of Hanover were in town Sunday P. M.

P. W. Leonard and family of Hanford were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton.

Word has been received of the arrival of a son, Forrest Charles, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ida Bennett of Brownsville, Maine. Mr. Bennett was a former resident of Newry.

Last Saturday night Bear River George celebrated Children's Night. A special program is being arranged by the children. Any member not so limited please bring cake for the refreshments.

## SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. Coby Robinson were week end guests at Leon Kimball's.

The Mount Main Dramatic Club are rehearsing the drama, "An Arizona Cowboy." Harold Anderson from Norway is teaching the play.

Mrs. Roy Wardwell was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Abel Andrews Saturday night.

Mrs. Ernest Brown is ill with a bad cold.

Charles Morey has been working for Roy Wardwell.

Mrs. Evelyn Morey is very poorly at this writing.

Howard Allen was in Bethel Saturday.

Round Mountain Grange met in regular session Saturday and carried out their usual memorial exercises.

Roy Wardwell and crew worked on the road Saturday.

A. R. Clark from Dolster's Mills was in this locality recently calling on old friends.

Mrs. Howard Allen has returned home from Bethel.

Robert Hill and crew of men are peeling pulp.

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## STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, at Paris, in vacation in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven. The following matters having been presented for the action thereon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1927, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Maria H. Hasleton late of Albany, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Lucien J. Andrews, administrator.

Abbie G. Bean late of Bethel, deceased; petition for order to distribute balance remaining in her hands presented by Elmer C. Park, executor.

Sylvia C. and Mary J. Bird, late of Bethel, deceased; petition for license to sell and convey real estate presented by Alta C. Bird, guardian.

Witness, Henry H. Hastings, Judge of said Court at Paris, this 17th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

5-26-27

## NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Flora B. Aubin late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

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## FIXING IT UP FOR DAWES

As time goes on it appears to the observing ones in and out of Washington that Vice President Dawes is growing rapidly in popularity throughout the country. At the beginning of his term as Vice President he attacked the Senate governing the Senate, and he became the star of a controversy which he was clever enough to keep going until after the election, and which latter event in the closing days of Congress started to root all the critics of Mr. Dawes. The country said "He's all right."

Vice President Dawes is appointing Senator Fox to a vacancy on the Red Cross committee that has been investigating the post-war scandal of Pennsylvania and Illinois took the position that a Senate committee is a continuing committee, because the Senate is a continuous body. He stated the law and the ruling of the Supreme Court upon the subject. It was a temperate comment and apparently settled the question in the minds of most people except a few politicians, among whom are included those Senators who are trying very hard to another investigation of the scandals of the Senate elections in the two States of Illinois and Pennsylvania. A half-politician, instead of a Senatorial one, ought to be able to see that the play is all in Mr. Dawes' hands. The whole subject is being put in shape so that it is sure to be thoroughly discussed not only in Congress but throughout the country, and in the next campaign. And the reason is certain to resolve itself in favor of the Dawes position, because it is a position to which fair-minded lawyers, and even unprejudiced Senators have already agreed. Mr. Dawes knows that he is on safe ground as his decision of the question is purely judicial, entirely non-political, and in accordance with the decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States.

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Mrs. Edith Grover and Miss Amy Wheeler were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheeler at South Paris over the week end.

Prof. and Mrs. W. R. Chapman, Miss Cornelia Chapman and Miss Alice Capen were in Portland, Monday to hear Will Rogers lecture.

The district meeting of the Odd Fellows will be held at L. O. O. F. Hall, Friday evening of this week. A banquet will be served at 6.30 at the hall, for which a charge of 50 cents per plate will be made. In the evening work in the third degree will be exemplified by Norway Lodge. It is expected that some of the Grand Officers will be present. All Odd Fellows are invited.

GOULD ACADEMY NOTES

Teachers and students are busy preparing for Commencement Week, June 5th. The complete program will be published next week.

The girls of the Domestic Arts Department will hold an exhibition of their work at the cottage on Thursday afternoon, June 2, from three to five o'clock. The articles on exhibition will include only those which have been completed since the December exhibition.

The boys of the Manual Training Department will hold an exhibition in the manual training shop at the same time. All friends of the school are cordially invited to call and see what the students of this most practical course have accomplished.

Clarence Rice, Albert Barlow and Charles Barnham, students from Boothbay, had a pleasant surprise when their parents called on them Sunday.

Several of the students accompanied the Gould baseball team to Mexico on Saturday and were very much elated over the victory.

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#### WEST PARIS

There was no service at the Uni-  
versalist church on Sunday, on account of  
a large number attending the Maine  
annual convention, Y. P. C. U., at Nor-  
way. Rev. E. B. Forbes was the guest  
of Rev. Pliny Allen and family during  
convention.

The Oxford Baptist Association held  
on Wednesday was very largely at-  
tended, and a very helpful and inspiring  
meeting was held during the day. At  
the evening session a packed house  
greeted the young man from Bates Col-  
lege who sang and spoke so enthusias-  
tically.

Edwin J. Mann, B. R. Billings of Bry-  
ant's Pond and a party of friends are  
on a fishing trip near Bethel.

The remains of John C. Curtis were  
brought here Thursday from Water-  
town, Mass. Services were held at the  
Baptist church, Rev. E. H. Stover of-  
ficiating. Jefferson Lodge of Masons of  
Bryant's Pond performed their burial  
service. A delegation from Granite  
Lodge also attended, and the Odd Fel-  
lows and Rebekahs attended in a body.  
Burial in West Paris cemetery.

Mr. Curtis was the son of Benjamin C. and  
Ellen Crawford Curtis, and was born  
in Woodstock 33 years ago. Of a fam-  
ily of eleven children, six sisters, Mrs.  
Mabel Herriek, Mrs. Ina Martin, Mrs.  
Edna Emery of West Paris, Mrs. Lot-  
tie Abbott, Mrs. Lora Shaw and Mrs.  
Iza Porter of South Paris, and two  
brothers, E. B. Curtis and Chandler  
Curtis of Paris, survive. He married  
Amanda Frost, who with their four  
children, Mrs. Ethel Wood, Herbert,  
Leslie and Rupert, is living. There  
are also many nieces, nephews and cou-  
sins.

No preaching service will be held on  
May 29th at the Universalist church,  
as all are invited to attend the mem-  
orial service at the Baptist church. Sun-  
day School will convene at the usual  
hour, and a full attendance is desired.  
as Children's Sunday will be observed  
the following Sunday, and preparation  
is necessary.

West Paris High School class parts  
have been assigned. Ruby Chandler is  
valedictorian, with an average rank of  
91.6 for the four years' work. Miss  
Chandler has taken active part in dra-  
matics and prize speaking, and has  
been a member for two years of the  
editorial board of the school paper.  
She has also won several medals in  
typewriting. She will attend Farming-  
ton Normal summer school.  
Edna Richardson has the class rank-

tory, with an average rank of 91.79.  
Miss Richardson has taken a prominent  
part in dramatics, prize speaking and  
operettas. She has been a member of  
the Nautilus board four years, and  
this year is secretary of the athletic  
association, manager of girls' tennis,  
and girls' cheer leader. She plans to  
attend summer school at Farmington  
Normal School.

The other class parts follow: Essay,  
Robert Penley; Class History, Thomas  
Perkins; Presentation of Gifts to Boys,  
Martha Day; Class Prophecy for Boys,  
Phemie Ross; Class Will, Ellis Elling-  
wood; Prophecy for Girls, Raymond  
Dean; Presentation of Gifts to Girls,  
Irene Penley; Class Inventory, Lin-  
wood Curtis; Class Color and Flower,  
Mary Swan; Class Grumbler, Harlan  
Childs.

Miss Edith Emery returned to work  
at the state house, Augusta, Saturday,  
after a vacation of several weeks.

The 40th annual convention of the  
Woman's Christian Temperance Union  
was held with the Maine Union May  
17. Several members from West Paris  
attended and report a very interesting  
meeting. Miss Rose Davison of Ohio,  
a national superintendent of American-  
ization work, was in attendance and  
gave much help in W. C. T. U. work.  
In her address in the evening she said  
"Americanize the parents as well as  
the children and there might be less  
crime in the country."

The Daughters of Union Veterans  
will assist the soldiers in observing  
Memorial Day and Memorial Sunday.  
Union service will be held in the Bap-  
tist church Sunday, May 29. Sermon  
by Rev. E. H. Stover. Appropriate mu-  
sic.

On Memorial Day the speaker will  
be Hon. Allen C. Wheeler of South  
Paris. Shaw's new orchestra, also of  
South Paris, will furnish music for the  
march to and from the cemetery, and  
for the exercises in the hall. There  
will be a doral service at the bridge  
for our soldiers who died at sea.

Memorial Sunday services at the  
Baptist church at 10:30 and Memorial  
Day exercises at Centennial Hall at  
10 o'clock.

Soldiers of all wars are invited to  
attend in a body the services of both  
days.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its fifth  
Sunday evening union service at the  
Baptist church May 29, at 7 o'clock.

**Think It Over**  
Even a fish wouldn't get caught if  
it kept its mouth shut.

#### HANOVER

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Barker and fam-  
ily of South Paris spent Sunday at C.  
P. Saunders'.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mitchell and  
daughter Fay visited at Fred Silver's  
Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hardy were guests  
of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J.  
Dyer, Friday.

Edson Hayford and family spent the  
week end in Auburn, as guests of Mrs.  
Hayford's sister and husband, Mr. and  
Mrs. John Twombly.

Miss Carrie Wight and Mr. and Mrs.  
W. B. Wight of Newry were recent  
callers in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Saunders at-  
tended a meeting of Franklin Grange  
Saturday evening when South Paris de-  
legate exemplified the third and  
fourth degrees.

Miss Matzie Rice arrived in town last  
week after spending the winter in Fl-  
rida.

Arthur Howe has recovered from his  
illness and is able to out of doors once  
more.

Mrs. Charles Moore and children vi-  
sited at Ira Brown's recently.

Miss Blanche Russell left for Port-  
land the last of the week, visiting rela-  
tives on the way.

Mrs. Lucetta Barker, who has spent  
the winter with her daughter, Addie  
Saunders, has gone to South Paris to  
visit her son.

Mishemokwa Temple hold their an-  
nual roll call Friday afternoon at the  
regular hour. It is hoped there will be  
a good attendance.

#### RUMFORD POINT

A. M. Knight and wife were in Ban-  
gor last week to attend the N. P. con-  
vention. Albert Duran bought a cow  
of Wallace Abbott.

Mrs. Caldwell was in Dixfield the  
week end.

John Martin and A. J. Marble are  
having their buildings painted.

Irvine Cole planted two and one-half  
acres of potatoes last week.

E. A. Merrill is working in Farming-  
ton for the N. E. Telephone Co.

Fred Tibbets has bought a farm in  
Hanover of N. S. Godwin.

Frank Howard had a crew last week  
putting in a sewer from the Kimball  
school house to the river for dish clo-  
sets.

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Sign in front of Missouri farmhouse  
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## RADIO

### Hear Radio Music Over Home Phone

#### Detector Connection Permits Reception of Local Broadcasts at Will.

By CARL H. BUTMAN  
Is the Chicago Daily News.

Washington.—If a new crystal detector recently patented as a telephone attachment is put on the market, many fans may return to the delightfully clear reception and simplicity of operation afforded by the first type of radio receiver. Literally it amounts to a pocket crystal receiver set or, if desired, an adjustable and perhaps more efficient tube receiver which may be attached to any desk telephone and used to listen to local broadcasts, utilizing the regular telephone receiver.

Patent No. 1,922,555, issued to G. F. Mitchell of Washington, and as yet unassigned, covers a simple means of constructing a crystal radio receiver readily attachable to an ordinary telephone. Its use may depend, however, upon securing the permission from local telephone companies. An examination of contracts may prevent its general use, although it is said not to interfere with the ordinary use of the phone.

Device is Compact, Simple.  
The device is exceedingly interesting, compact and simple. It carries out the scheme of using the lines of the telephone company as an aerial for broadcast reception, but in addition permits the use of the telephone company itself. Its adoption eliminates, therefore, the need for an aerial, head phones, extra wiring, or any modification of the telephone circuit beyond simple connections with the conductors. It is portable and adjustable to any phone in a few seconds, apparently without interfering with normal telephone operation.

The apparatus consists of a hollow box or housing, about the size of the vertical piece of ordinary telephone standard, to which it is attached by



Invention Does Not Require Use of Headset, Speaker or Antenna.

three spring clips. The back of this housing is made of insulating material. A contact strip from the top of the housing member engages and makes electrical contact with the top of the phone stand. Mounted on top of this housing is an adjustable crystal receiver connected by wires inside the housing to terminals.

Switch Holds Switch.  
On one side of the housing is mounted a mechanical latch which, when engaged, prevents the rising of the telephone switch or hook when the receiver is lifted and used to listen to local broadcasts picked up by the telephone wires. When this latch is disengaged the telephone may be used in the ordinary way for conversation. As in a simple crystal receiver, if such, the regular telephone receiver, as it desired, a pair of ear phones, is connected across the detector which is placed between the aerial and ground connections.

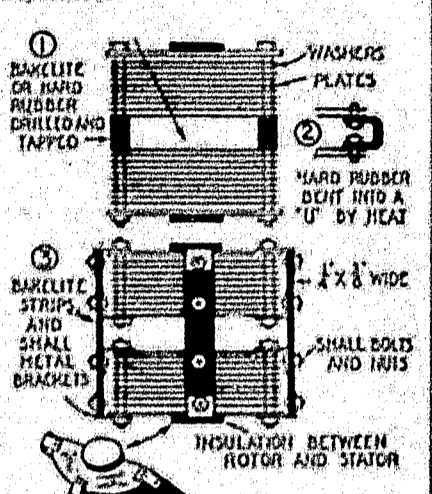
Another possible connection permits the connection of a pair of ear phones by means of a condenser and the utilization of a tuning inductor placed inside the hollow housing shell. Mr. Mitchell explains to his patent specifications how an electric tube circuit may also be adapted where a variable tuning condenser, inductor tubes and practically all the features of a tube set are all placed within the housing member.

Another Form of Linking Up.  
One means of establishing contacts with the phone wires is by special flexible connecting wires slipped with the phone for threading through the cord leading to the telephone receiver as an to get it to the output circuit of the radio receiving apparatus, while another wire is used for a ground contact. Another adaptation provides for a more permanent connecting system comprising a pair of sockets and a two-pronged plug, probably to be provided by the telephone company in the base of the phone stand for these connections.

### Tandem Condenser and How the Part Is Made

A variable condenser having 43 plates can be easily made into a tandem condenser, composed of two 17-plate sections, says a writer in Radio News. The condenser used for this purpose should be one of the type which is held together by three bolts, so it can be taken apart. Remove these bolts, being careful not to bend the plates, and cut the long bolts in half with a hacksaw.

Before the condenser is taken apart, it is best to measure the exact distance between the two end plates, so that the bakelite strips can be cut to the exact length. This is necessary because the distance between the bakelite strips of the rotor must be kept the same. In 17-plate condensers there will be a stator plate for each section. Since the rotors of a condenser in a J.E. receiver are connected to the "A" lead, the rotor need not be separated.



How to Construct Tandem 17-Plate Condenser From 43-Plate Condenser.

Assemble the two end plates and place them on the table, at the same distance apart as they were originally. Measure the distance between the inner edges and make the separators this length. In Fig. 1 the separators are of bakelite rods, drilled and tapped to the size of the condenser bolts. The method of assembly is clearly shown in the diagram. One separator is used for each bolt, and for most condensers three will be required. This is a neat method but a little difficult.

A similar method is shown in Fig. 2. This will be found to be excellent if the bakelite remains firm, but the construction is not as strong as that shown in Fig. 1. Here the two stators are supported by three bakelite strips, about 1/4 inch thick and 1/2 inch wide, and just as long as the condenser was originally. Four small metal brackets are bolted on each strip and then to the stators by means of the original bolts cut in half.

The five center plates of the rotor should be removed and cut down to washers. Replace these washers in the original positions and the rotor will be the same length as before. Thus the two rotors are one, electrically speaking.

### Aurora Affects Radio Reception, Says Expert

During the Arctic expedition with MacMillan, Austin C. Cooley, radio operator on the Kachem, had ample opportunity to observe the effect of the northern lights on radio reception. "At times," he says in Radio Broadcast Magazine, "signals seemed fairly good, and then they would fade out completely. On one such occasion I went on deck to investigate. Never before had I seen such a violent and brilliant display of northern lights. Sometimes we were completely surrounded by the bright blue bands of aurora, and streamers from all around the horizon would shoot up to the zenith, making a complete umbrella of aurora. In places the bands were fringed with dark red."

"For three hours or more I kept running up and down the companionway taking notes on the aurora and then listening to the radio. Later I made other observations. I am thoroughly convinced, after going over these notes, that a definite relation does exist between the aurora and radio conditions. All these tests were made slightly below the 40-degree band. In the data collected, there appeared to be a rather definite relation between barometric pressure, aurora, aurora, magnetic storms, and radio fading. The data are by no means complete, but the observations substantiate the following statements:

1. Mirages and aurora only occur with heavy air pressure.  
2. The relation between the aurora and radio fading depends upon the following: (a) Formation of aurora and its location in respect to the receiving station. (b) Frequency of the radio signal.

"In accordance with the latter, the temperature is an important factor in the formation already worked out for mirages."

### Czechoslovakia Claims 200,000 Radio Amateurs

Early this year there were approximately 200,000 amateur radio operators in Czechoslovakia, and more are taking out licenses. It is reported from Prague. This total, it is believed, includes both broadcast listeners and amateurs, as known in the United States, where only 18,000 are licensed. The dispatch also states that American apparatus of moderate price is well received, but is in competition with both domestic and German equipment.

### LAVISH LACE ON THE BRIDE; CHIC GOING-AWAY COSTUME

WEDDING bells! What visions of transcendent loveliness are they destined to ring in, with the coming of summer, for bridal processions with each succeeding season seem to be taking on an ever increasing picture-queeness.

If lace was not to contribute a major share of beauty to the bride's costume, it would be, surprisingly indeed, for this is pre-eminently a lace season. To such an extent has lace

smart short-jacket tailored suit, or a three-piece ensemble of beige crepe, faille silk or fine worsted, or a stunning long coat posed over a simple little crepe frock. Which shall it be? Considering the tremendous vogue now on for the two-piece tailleur, one is tempted to make it first choice, especially if the bride-to-be is possessed of a youthful slender figure. If one has the happy faculty of wearing a suit attractively, then select the suit.



LOVELY BRIDAL COSTUME

captured the fancy of the mode, that not only is the bride swathed in lace, but the apparel of the guests presents a galaxy of frocks and wraps styled in lace. For these, preference is shown chiefly either colorfully dyed or in black or ecru and even the metal laces retain their share of style prestige.

For the bride, be her gown of satin, georgette, crepe or supple velvet, lace elaboration marks its styling. The picture presents a winsome exponent of the lace-garmented bride robe as exploited among present-day modes. In addition to lace of rare lace there are innumerable frilly lace, edge-trimmed blithers and blithers in pretty confusion. The hemline takes on a graceful deep scalloping which adds another charm to this frock. Nor is this penchant for lace confined to

For the bride's honeymoon trip such a suit as here pictured is of assured appeal. It is tailored of finest navy twill, being braided most exquisitely at the front, cutaway edges, which are so designed as to reveal a clever satin waistcoat in burnt toast coloring. The molded-to-the-head hat is of navy grosgrain ribbon. Note especially the handsome pointed fox neckpiece thrown over the arm. The last word to fashionables is the separate fur of either pointed, platinum or beige fox.

If not a suit, then perhaps the bride may decide upon a three-piece ensemble. The latest in this beige jumper or one-piece frock of crepe or faille or tulle, accompanied by a full length coat of velvet in perfectly matched coloring. If one prefers the coat may be of the same material as



SUIT OR ENSEMBLE

no dress, for its mission to beautify and adorn extends to the veil which it wears most dutifully.

Independent of any suggestion of simulating are the smart and very new chic bridal gowns. For the young and slender bride a bouffant tulle frock is a requisite. For the stately bride draping white satin of simple silhouette, as ever, ranks as a classic.

Your choice, Jane bride-elect—for our going-away costume either a

the dress, in which instance there should be a long collar of matching material with a conspicuous bow of the same somewhere on the coat.

The de luxe bride can also well afford to take with her one of the new chic little frocks as shown to the left in the picture. It is delightful coloring, yet in no way transgresses the laws of good taste.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.  
(M. 111), Western Newspaper Union.

### THE KITCHEN CABINET

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All hail to good health! You never can buy it. Though many by using a vegetable diet. Have lived a long life, with nerves steady and quiet. Then listen to wisdom, ye people, and try it.

#### FEEDING THE FAMILY

Food is not necessarily nutritious in proportion to its cost. Three cucumbers may cost as much as a small roast of meat but no one would admit that they supplied the same nutriment. As protein foods are the most expensive and complex, we need them to keep a well-balanced diet, but they should be served in smaller portions and to make attractive other foods just as necessary in the diet, such as roots, bulbs and vegetables that add bulk to the diet.

Brain workers need easily digested foods, while outdoor workers find the heartier and coarser foods suited better to their needs.

It is noticeable that thin delicate girls and women have an antipathy for fat meat or fat of any kind. They are the ones who feed it and should be given oil dressings, cream and butter in abundance.

For the first few months of the child, milk is the only diet needed. After three months strained orange juice and tomato juice may be given freely between feedings. This supplies the vitamins which are so essential in the growth of a child.

At the age of a year children may be given gruels, prepared from cereals with long cooking. Broths from chicken or mutton and a little baked or mashed potato.

Vegetables to be enjoyed and liked, must be served to the very young in some form suitable, then as they grow older they will need no urging to eat all kinds of wholesome vegetables.

From the ages of fourteen to sixteen both sexes need the food of adult life. A boy growing rapidly often needs and eats more than his father.

Highly seasoned foods, stimulating foods and condiments should never be given growing children, as such foods act upon the system and may cripple the whole life.

When using butter, cream and milk in foods remember that they are themselves foods.

A green vegetable should be served at least once a day in some menu. This may be lettuce, spinach, water cress or beet greens. With fresh carrots grated, adding a bit of chopped celery and onion and salad dressing one has a food combination almost complete; adding a few nuts will make it a meal.

#### Something to Eat.

If one has the patience to prepare and grate fresh coconut there are many ways that it may be enjoyed in planning the menu. It is wise to sugar it well over the top of the bowl and keep in a cold place—in the ice box is best. It will keep a week or two, providing the family does not like it too often.

When serving custard pie, sprinkle a thick covering of the fresh-sugared nut over on it as served. For cup custards a tablespoonful on top when served adds both to its appearance and taste.

New Onions.—Take two small bunches of green onions, trim, but leave on most of the green stem. Cook in boiling salted water until tender, then serve in a rich white sauce over buttered toast, cover with buttered bread crumbs and serve.

Broiled Hamburger.—Season the chopped meat with salt, pepper, a pinch of clove and a tablespoonful of onion juice. Make into a large flat cake, not too thick. Lay on a well-greased broiler and broil quickly until both sides are seared. Then cook with a reduced heat until well done.

Cream Pie.—To one cupful of milk add one cupful of sugar—two tablespoonsful of flour mixed with some of the cold milk before adding—the beaten yolks of two eggs and a pinch of salt. Cook until thick, flavor with orange or almond, and set aside to cool. Bake a shell and fill with the mixture, cover with a thick layer of sugared coconut, a freshly grated kind, and serve. If the coconut is not available use the whites of the eggs and two tablespoonsful of sugar beaten and placed on top; brown in a moderate oven.

Rocheater Soup.—Blanch two-thirds of a cupful of almonds, chop and pound in a mortar, add gradually while pounding four tablespoonsful of water, one-half teaspoonful of salt, then add three cupfuls of chicken stock, one sliced onion, three stalks of celery cut fine. Simmer one hour, rub through a sieve and blend with three tablespoonsful each of butter and onion cooked together.

Apple Snow.—Pare and core six good-sized apples, steam in two tablespoonsful of water with a little lemon peel until soft, add one-half cupful of sugar or more to sweeten and the whites of two fresh eggs. Beat well for three-fourths of an hour without stopping; serve in custard cups or sherbet glasses.

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### Inside Stuff

There's an old saying that no man is a hero to his valet. One might also state that there are few secrets from the delivery boy. Max Cohen, having moved into his new home in Lankershim, asked the boy about certain people living further up the street.

"Let's see," said the boy. "It can't be pork and no fat—that's number two. And it ain't two pounds of rump and juicy—that's number seven. Oh, I know who you mean! It's top side and tender and don't pay—that's the party!"—Los Angeles Times.



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### Immense Masonry

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### That Youthful

Of course the modern dressers to look young, "old" and "young" in clothing. The same silhouette is used mothers and debutantes. Tensions ago, the women of frankly middle-aged. She and browns, and upon the of her first gray hair she hats for bonnets, which classed her as an elderly in the woman of forty is a person—and she looks it! Magazine.

### For an Emergency

Take a piece of cardboard on it the telephone number department, family physician's office or other number you might find necessary in emergency. So often in emergency, such as sudden illness or some one else to whom you are not familiar may phoning. Hang this above phone and see what a comfort.

### Roman Appellations

Leptis Magna is the name of the modern Leptis, an Italian possession. Mediterranean coast of Africa so called to distinguish smaller Semitic settlements. Carthage in the frontier—Leptis Magna was the chief of the ancient Tripolitania, the being Ceen (the present Tripoli) (the modern Zangar).

### Primitive Fountain

Egypt claims the first fountain pen. In a 4,000-year-old fountain pen was recently found in the tomb of a pharaoh. The pen was made of copper. The nib of the pen was made of a quill pen. In the reed is supposed to be the ink.

### Old London Monument

A monument at London to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the 1801. It was designed by Christopher Wren, the famous whose masterpiece is St. Paul's Cathedral and whose other smaller churches are to be many parts of older London monument stands near the of London Bridge.

### Secret Governing

Cabal means a secret cabal or to communicate the secret. Such a cabal exists in the reign of Charles II of England. Clarendon, Ashley, Arlington and Lauderdale. All letters of their names word Cabal.

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Because of lack of change the cutting of Spanish dollars into halves and fourths was condoned, and even necessary, until it was discovered that expert cutters were reaping a small fortune. When expertly cut the fiftths could be discerned from quarters only by keen eyesight or by weighing. Chalmers produced new standard coins and took the short pieces in exchange until the fraud was stopped.

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5-19-27

WANTED—Postage stamps before 1900 on the original envelopes. Good prices paid. Look over your old letters. Geo. A. Hitchcock, Ware, Mass.  
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## THE J. E. JONES LETTER

(Continued from page 1)

fully willing to be appreciative about this question just as long as the United States is patient and does not send statements marked "please remit."

## FLOOD FARM AND CROPS

The importance of replanting as much as possible in the flooded regions of the Mississippi Valley is claiming the attention of the United States Department of Agriculture. The Department says that some crops can be planted in the flood area between June 10 to August 1. A vigorous campaign of education to meet the emergency is being outlined, and the County Agent is to be given broad authority in the coming months. Three County Agents and all representatives of the Department at Washington and of the State Agricultural Colleges will be advised of centers of seeds most suitable as short-seasoned crops.

The Agricultural Department estimated that probably 65 per cent or more of the several million acres of flooded improved farm lands, except in the sugar cane lands in Louisiana, have heretofore been planted in cotton. Cotton production will have to be curtailed this year, but it is claimed that it will be possible to replant cotton up to June 1, and perhaps even a week or more longer. Extensive plans are being developed to promote the planting of varieties of corn, sorghums, soybeans, cowpeas, sweet potatoes, and peanuts. The crop specialists at Washington are doing their best to meet the emergency.

## LET'S GROW TREES

Of all the natural resources of the United States, the most vital, according to Mr. Hoover, is land—soil, the stuff from which the future must eat. The loss of land by needless soil erosion is the greatest extravagance of the age. Man plows a hillside, grows crops of corn, cotton or tobacco, and after a very few crops the field is ruined. In this way the American Nation has already ruined the possible home sites of millions of men.

The American Magazine, in its June issue, hazards the prediction that the whole science of agriculture will shortly change from the growing of short-lived crops to the growing of trees which will provide long-lived crops. Dr. J. Russell Smith of Columbia University, the greatest living authority on economic geography, explains the idea in a revolutionary interview. "It is merely an accident of history," he says, "that agriculture started with annual plants—grasses, wheat, rice and corn—instead of with trees—date, olive, fig, nut and others. People can live just as well on oranges and walnuts and similar foods, as on the seeds of wild grasses. We need but a whole series of new crop trees, making food for man and his domestic animals, and at the same time holding and conserving the precious soils with their roots."

The United States is rich in natural resources of great promise waiting to be improved. To grow can be made to grow even on poor land and can feed the hungry. The best way to do this is to plant the most nutritious fruits known. A million dollars invested during the next twenty years in constructive research and experiments on tree crop agriculture would probably revolutionize the science of farming. Here is a remarkable opportunity for some person to create a world famous institution.

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## STIMSON APPLAUDED

Henry L. Stimson, acting as Special Envoy of President Coolidge in Nicaragua, has won a war. He has argued the contending forces in that troubled Republic into laying down their arms, and the prospects are that they will settle their troubles amicably, with halts instead of swords as weapons.

## MAINE AUTO LICENSE MOST POPULAR

The compulsory insurance law for motorists, now in force in Massachusetts and other states, together with restricted automobile registration for motorists from other states, has made a Maine auto license one of the most favored in the United States. The bill passed by the last Legislature removing all restrictions on registration and opening wide the doors of Maine to out-of-state motorists, as long as they are registered in their own state, and the absence of compulsory insurance, has already resulted in many complimentary messages sent to Governor Brewer from automobile associations all over the country.

Due to the benefits accruing to a Maine auto license, the registering of out-of-state cars in Maine has already taken an upward trend, and with thousands of motorists who will tour Maine the coming summer, this number from early indications will mount to large numbers, thus giving to the State increased revenue from this avenue, which will indirectly be of benefit to every taxpayer in the State.

All are cordially invited by State officials to come to Maine and register their cars.

## Food for Squirrels

The food of squirrels in the wild state includes, according to the Mus of the year, nuts and seeds, buds, mushrooms, insects, nesting birds and fleshy fruits. In feeding caged squirrels it is necessary that they be given regularly some hard-shelled nuts, such as hickory nuts or butternuts, to keep their ever-growing incisor teeth firm in their sockets.

## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

## CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The meeting of the Ladies' Club will be omitted this week.

The Church will be closed next Sunday, and the congregation will attend a Union Memorial Service at the Methodist Church.

Church School Sunday at 12 o'clock. Chorus rehearsal Sunday evening in Garland Chapel at seven o'clock.

The Committee elected at the last Parish meeting, with instructions to extend a call to Rev. Leland A. Edwards of the St. Lawrence Congregational Church, Portland, after conference with Mr. Edwards it should be found that he would give consideration to such a call, reports that the call was officially given, as directed, and has been accepted. Mr. Edwards will immediately tender the resignation of his present pastorate, and will probably come to Bethel about July 1st.

Mr. Edwards is a native of Vermont. He was ordained to the ministry in 1902, and has held pastorates in Newport, Vt., Cleveland, Ohio, and Portland, Maine. Rev. Alfred V. Bliss, State Superintendent of Congregational Churches, has this to say of Mr. Edwards: "He is a man of marked ability, strong personality, vigorous of mind and body, and untiring worker—a fine, friendly, spiritual, strong man."

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Chapman Street  
Services Sunday morning at 10:45. Subject of the lesson sermon, Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced.  
Sunday School at 10 o'clock.  
Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 P. M.

## METHODIST CHURCH

The Memorial Service will be held in this church this year. The sermon will be preached by the pastor, W. R. Patterson.

In the evening, 7:30, there will be a praise service and a talk on the theme "Little Things."

## UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

There will be a Union Memorial Day service at the Methodist Church, Sunday, May 29.

Sunday School as usual at 12 o'clock.

## SKILLINGTON

Gerry Morgan has moved his family into Charles Wheeler's house.

Mrs. Ellen Robinson has returned home after spending a very delightful week in Massachusetts, New York and Connecticut.

Mrs. Mitchell is spending a week at Ramford with her sister, Mrs. Frost.

Miss Ella Sanborn is keeping house for Fred Aubin of Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kenough and her son, Willard, of Gorham, N. H., called on Mr. and Mrs. Perley Flanders Sunday.

## GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hutchinson from Bethel and Miss Irene Briggs from Albany were Sunday callers at Pleasant View Farm.

We notice that the buildings on Cobblestone Farm are for sale.

Miss Rachel Mayberry was calling on friends at Bethel village a short time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Copeland from Bethel called on friends here Tuesday afternoon.

## Training School for Nurses

The Lynn Hospital Training School for Nurses, registered by the State of Massachusetts and by the University of the State of New York, is now enrolling classes for September 1927, and February 1928, three year course. For full information write to the Superintendent of Nurses, Lynn Hospital, Lynn, Massachusetts.

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Adams, p, cf,

Willard, 2b,

Race, rf, 1b,

Hamlin, 1b,

Holmes, 3b,

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